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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Art Unit: 1723

Philippe LESCOCHE

Serial No.: 10/731,160

Filing Date: December 10, 2003

For: Device for Coupling Together a Tube and a Filter Housing

**CORRECTION OF ERROR IN CLAIMING LARGE ENTITY STATUS AND REQUEST FOR
CORRECTED FILING RECEIPT**

Commissioner of Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The Assignee hereby advises the USPTO that it does not qualify as a Large Entity as originally indicated when the application was filed on December 10, 2003. It is respectfully requested that the records of the USPTO be changed to reflect this correction and that a corrected filing receipt be issued.

Please any necessary fees or credits to Deposit Account No. 50-1088.

Respectfully submitted,

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REQUEST FOR REFUND

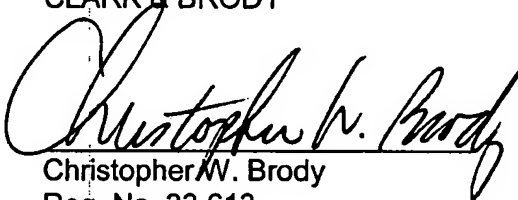
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Sir:

Applicant hereby requests a refund in the amount of \$385.00 for the reason that it is not entitled to LARGE ENTITY status. A Large Entity filing fee was paid with the filing of the application on December 10, 2003, in the form of a company check in the amount of \$770.00.

Please affect the **refund** by issuing a check, or crediting Deposit Account No. 50-1088, for one half of the application filing fee to the undersigned in the amount of \$385.00.

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